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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Indu Bhusan Chatterjee

Serial No.: 10/076,041

For: ACTIVATED CHARCOAL FILTER FOR EFFECTIVELY REDUCING P-BENZOSEMIQUINONE FROM THE MAINSTREAM CIGARETTE SMOKE

Filed: February 13, 2002

Examiner: Dionne A. Walls

Art Unit: 1731

Confirmation No.: 7417

Customer No.: 27,623

Attorney Docket No.: 3030.004USU

**Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated May 10, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ _____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	31	Minus	51	0	x \$50.00	\$0
Independent Claims	2	Minus	4	0	x \$200.00	\$200.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE						x \$360.00 = \$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$200.00
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY						\$N/A

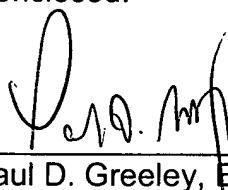
The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.

A check in the amount of \$ 0 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

August 5, 2005

Date


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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on May 10, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.